Forest Land - Kolhapur

Diversion of 0.738 ha. Forest land under section-2 of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for construction of Road from Majarewadi to Ghosarwad MDR-92 at Village-Ghosarwad, Tal. Shirol, Dist. Kolhapur.

Government of Maharashtra

Revenue and Forest Department

Government Order No.: FLD-2023/C.R.177/F-10

Mantralaya, Mumbai-400 032.

Date: 10.03.2024

Ref.:

1) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Nagpur Letter No. Desk-17/ Nodal / Kolhapur /ID-13710(31)/76/2023-24, Dt.10.04.2023.
2) Revenue and Forest Department, Government of Maharashtra, Order No. FLD-2023/C.R.177/F-10, Dt. 25.07.2023.
3) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, M.S. Nagpur, Letter No. Desk-17/FCA-S2/PID-143865/Kolhapur/148, dt.22.04.2024.
   Letter No. Desk-17/FCA-S2/PID-143865/Kolhapur/24-25/2008, dt.10.12.2024

Order :

Whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, vide his letter under reference No.1 has submitted a proposal to the State Government, which was received from The Executive Engineer, Public Work Division, Kolhapur for diversion of 0.738 ha. Forest land under section-2 of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for construction of Road from Majarewadi to Ghosarwad MDR-92 at Village-Ghosarwad, Tal. Shirol, Dist. Kolhapur;

AND whereas, Government of Maharashtra after due consideration, vide its order under reference No. 2 accorded 'in-principle' approval with certain conditions to above proposal for diversion of 0.738 ha. Forest land under section 2 of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980;

AND whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, vide letters under reference No.3 has submitted compliance of those conditions to the Government of Maharashtra;

NOW, therefore, in exercise of powers conferred to State Government under general approval given vide MoEF&CC, Government of India's Handbook of Guidelines for effective and transparent implementation of the provisions of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 [Chapter-4, Para-4.3], Government of Maharashtra is pleased to grant **Final Approval** for Diversion of 0.738 ha. Forest Land.

Government Order No.: FLD-2023/C.R.177/F-10

Therefore, the Government of Maharashtra directs that 0.738 ha. Forest Land consisting of Protected Forest Land more specifically described in the proposal submitted vide letter under reference No.1 and mentioned in the Schedule given below, be diverted to the User Agency, i.e. The Executive Engineer, Public Work Division, Kolhapur for diversion of 0.738 ha. Forest land under section-2 of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for construction of Road from Majarewadi to Ghosarwad MDR-92 at Village-Ghosarwad, Tal. Shirol, Dist. Kolhapur.

This approval for diversion of forest land is also subject to compliance of following conditions by the User Agency-

1. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kolhapur should ensure that, the fulfilment of all conditions mentioned in the order, dated 25.07.2023, before giving actual possession of forest land to User Agency.
2. The diversion shall be effected subject to the terms and conditions mentioned in the Order dated 25.07.2023.
3. The Chief Conservator of Forests / Deputy Conservator of Forests will reconfirm that compliances under the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 are not needed for the project.
4. The User Agency shall comply with all the conditions stipulated in the above mentioned 'in-principle' and in this order of Government of Maharashtra. The Chief Conservator of Forests (Territorial), Kolhapur shall ensure the strict compliance of the conditions by the User Agency. CCF will furnish the report in this regard to Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur from time to time.
5. Non-compliance of any of the conditions mentioned in Government of Maharashtra’s order dated 25.07.2023, in this order and Rules and Guidelines made / issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980, shall amount to violation of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and action would be taken accordingly.
6. In case of non-compliance of any of the above conditions, the concerned Chief Conservator of Forests / Deputy Conservator of Forests shall report through the State Government to Deputy Director General of Forests (Central), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur as per procedure laid down in the guidelines under the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.

SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Name of Road	District	Taluka	Name of Village	Comptt No.	Gut No.	Length & Width	Area (in ha)	Legal Status
1	Majarewadi to Ghosarwad MDR-92	Kolhapur	Shirol	Ghosarwad	715	1198	265 x 9	0.2385	PF
						12	555 x 9	0.4995	
Total Forest Land (in ha.)								**0.738**	

This Government Order is available on Government of Maharashtra's website www.maharashtra.gov.in with reference no. 202503101744324119. This order has been signed digitally.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

GANESH TUKARAM JADHAO

Digitally signed by GANESH TUKARAM JADHAO
DN: c=IN, o=GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, ou=REVENUE AND FOREST DEPARTMENT,
2.5.4.20=0078f58512d3ac01315bbbfa4b473ed7729dd2d31644106e2966ab9ee6e92d7d, postalCode=400032, st=Maharashtra,
serialNumber=6FEEDE606678D569A76B842319BD1C2969AA85BBA5CDCCEE147249F17965E8BB, cn=GANESH TUKARAM JADHAO
Date: 2025.03.10 17:45:53 +05'30'

(Ganesh Jadhao)

Under Secretary to the Government of Maharashtra

Copy to:

1. Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi
2. Deputy Director General of Forests (Central), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur.
3. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), M.S., Nagpur
4. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), M.S.,Nagpur
5. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & CEO (Maha-CAMPA), Nagpur
6. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Nagpur
7. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Conservation), Nagpur
8. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Kolhapur.
9. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kolhapur.
10. The Executive Engineer, Public Work Division, Kolhapur.
11. Select File-F-10

i) Collector- Kolhapur, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Kolhapur and Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kolhapur are hereby directed to forward the copy of this order to concerned Heads of Local Bodies, Panchayats, Municipal Bodies in addition to the relevant offices of the Government and they shall also ensure the display of this order on their notice board as well as on the notice board of local self-government bodies for the information of general public.

ii) The Executive Engineer, Public Work Division, Kolhapur, is hereby directed that they should publish the entire order of forest clearances granted in verbatim along with the details of Survey No., Gut No., area and legal status of each Survey, Gut No.etc. along with the conditions and safe guards imposed by the State Government while granting forest clearances in two widely circulated daily newspapers, one in vernacular language and other in English language. Copy of the Newspapers be submitted to Chief Conservator of Forests (Territorial), Kolhapur & Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kolhapur.

iii) Heads of Local Bodies, Panchayats and Municipal Bodies in addition to the relevant offices of the Government are hereby directed to display the same on their notice board for 30 days from the date of receipt for the information of general public.